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Total sales, 246.879 shares.

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To-day's stock market did not fulfil the expectations aroused by yesterday's well-distributed trading at advancing prices. The character of

yesterday's market evidently inspired a greater

degree of confidence than has existed hereto

fore, for there was a fresh demand for stocks. principally from commission houses, that care

ried prices for practically all of the active stocks to the highest figures yet recorded. Be

sides, London was a moderate buyer. After the first hour, however, the demand fell off and

the market became narrow, a condition that en-

couraged professional operators to resume their efforts to control it. They succeeded in bringing about a moderate reaction during the mid

dle of the day, but the absence of any disturbing

news and of selling, except by local speculators,

induced a repurchasing movement toward the

close that left the majority of stocks fractionally

above the lowest prices. The market can ac curately be described as irregular, with the

bulk of the business, which was on about

in a few stocks, namely, Sugar Refining,

and Quincy. These four stocks supplied nearly

than yesterday. Sugar Refining, which was

first in point of activity, made several fluctuations of a point and flually scored a fractions

net gain. The only other noteworthy net ad-

vance was that of 2% Weent in Consolidate

gas securities was affected by unconfirmed re

ports of deals between two or more of the com-

Of the less active shares Manhattan Railway,

Missouri Pzcific, Western Union, Susquehanna and Western, and St. Joseph and Grand Island

first preferred were exceptionally strong. The

cept that the selling of Union Pacific indicated a

foreign exchange market, noted yesterday, has

resulted in a resumption of exports of specie.

The shipments to-morrow will aggregate \$350,-

000, of which \$250,000 was withdrawn from the

Sub-Treasury to-day and is consigned to Berlin.

The remainder goes to Paris. It is believed that

the ultimate destination of all of this specie,

which is shipped upon peremptory orders, i

Austria. It was announced that a Boston bank-

ing house will ship \$500,000 next Tuesday, and

about \$2,500,000 on the same day. It appears

prefer to pay a premium for gold in this

an active demand for exchange to remit interest

net declines were, in the main, unimportant, ex-

desire on the part of holders to avoid paying the first installment of the assessment, which may be called in the near future. The strength of the

panies.

FRIDAY, June 18.

Kansas & Texas 124 South Railway

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Was III Treated, She Snys, by Mer Musband and Accused of Several Officers.—Told Mim the Was Starving and Waited All Day in Vata for a Boliar Me Mad Promised Her. Justice Van Wyck in the Supreme Court, in Brooklyn, heard testimony resterday in the separation suit brought by Mrs. Annie E. Loader against Joseph Loader, who at one time had a large furniture store at 976 Fulton street, ooklyn. Mrs. Loader is 28 years old, while her husband has passed the septuagenarian limit.

Mrs. Leader testified that she was married to

Mr. Loader on April 22, 1896, and that they be

gan housekeeping at 401 McDonough street.

From the first week of her marriage there was

trouble in the house. This, she said, was due to

the presence of Mrs. Rose Bretler, who declared she would have been Mrs. Loader had not the plaintiff got ahead of her.
"The week after our marriage," said the plaintiff, "Mr. Loader told me that Rose had begun an action against him for breach of promise of marriage, and that she was trying to

brenk up his home." From that time the trouble in the house became worse until Sept. 13. Before that time the defeation had started a furniture store at 1244 Fulton street, of which the plaintiff was in charge. On Sept. 15 she visited Mr. Loader at his store and found Rose Bretler there. She told the defendant to put Rose out of the store, but he seemed afraid to carry out this order. se left the store, the plaintiff said, her husband became so angry that he grabbed her and threw her against an iron post, and that she was black and blue for several weeks after.
"A few days after this assault," said the wit-

he accused me of trying to polson him,

ness, "he accused me of trying to pelson him, and said: "If you are not careful there'll be another Fleming case."

He accused the plaintiff of bigamy and then turned her out of the house. On one occasion, when she visited his store, the defendant said: "I only want one more man to prove that you were seen going into a house of ill-fame with Police Inspector McLaughlin." If ound the man he had reference to," said the plaintiff. "His name was Fullerton. I confronted him with Mr. Loader, and Fullerton denied having said any such thing. My husband gave me no money, and I was left with nothing to eat except some meal and coffee. I told him I was hungry, and he said he would give me a doliar to get something to eat. I waited at the store all day, but did not get the dollar."

You're hungry yet? asked Mr. Loader's lawyer.

"You're hungry yet?" asked Mr. Loader's lawyer.

"Yes, I am," she replied.

An insurance agent called at her store one day to insure the furniture, and later in the day, the plaintiff said, her husband accused her of threatening to set the store on fire. Later he said he had got rid of Rose Bretler for \$50, and he honed he could get rid of the plaintiff for as small a sum. Mrs. Loader visited the office of her husband's lawyer one day to enter into an agreement, but Loader did not appear, and when she got home she found that all her furniture had been taken away. She was also dispossessed from her store for non-payment of rent, and the furniture was sold at auction. Mr. Loader got the money.

rent, and the furniture was more Loader said she Loader got the money. On cross-examination Mrs. Loader said she was first married to Joseph Knapp and lived with him until 1889, when they separated. She then went to Fargo, N. D., she said, and secured a divorce from Knapp. When she returned she

was known to have been a sufferer from heart disease. His wife died about a year ago and

Atlantic exports. Excellent reports from winter was known to have been a sufferer from heart disease. His wife died about a year ago and was cremated without any accompanying religious services. The dead man's library is said to contain many rare books of great value. The disposition of these and the rest of his estate, including the Collector, the art paper of which he was editor, will depend upon whether any relatives can be found.

A DAUGHTER OF THE REVOLUTION.

She is is Her 97th Year and Her Father Was a Revelutionary Solder.

POUGHKEEFSIE, June 18.—A meeting of the Mahwenawasigh Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution was held at the Old Ladies' Home for the purpose of welcoming to its ranks Mrs. Rachel Clump, a real daughterthat is, one whose father was a soldier of the Revolution. Mrs. Clump is in her 97th year.

Mrs. E. S. Atwater, the Regent of the chapter, presided and presented to Mrs. Clump a gold spoon, which is the badge of the "real daughters." The principal address, however, was made by the Rev. George Clarke Cox, who spoke appropriately and tendorly of the long life of the one who formed so a direct link between our own time and that of the founders of our Government.

Mrs. Clump has been an immate of the Old Ladies' Home for several years past. Although unable to walk his consequence of a fall, she is in other respects remarkably active for one of her processed in the product of the product of the respective remarkably active for one of her processed in the resident hand was Rachel Covenhoven. She is the eleventh and youngest will be parents, Jacob and Netty Hoogeland Covenhoven. She is the eleventh and youngest child of Adrian Covenhoven and Bartbara Dubols of Fishkill. Her father was born in 1753 in holder respects remarkably active for one of her processed in the product of the product

Mrs. Clump has been an inmate of the Old Ladies' Home for several years past. Although unable to walk in consequence of a fall, she is in other respects remarkably active for one of her years. Her hearing is zood, and her eyesight sufficiently so to allow her the diligent use of her needle. Her muiden hame was Rachel Covenhoven. Sie is the eleventh and youngest child of Adrian Covenhoven and Barbara Dubois of Fishkill. Her father was born in 1753 in Hackensack. N. J., and came to Fishkill with his parenta, Jacob and Netty Hoogeland Covenhoven, and her mother was a daughter of Elisia Dubois of Fishkill, who served as a Captain in the French and Indian war. Adrian Covenhoven served in the kevolution as a private in Col. Abraham Brinckerhoff's regiment of Dutchess county militia.

BRICK CHURCH'S NEW ORGAN. It Is to Cost \$15,000, and Will Necessitate

Other Improvements. The Brick Presbyterian Church, at Fifth avonue and Thirty-seventh street, is about to be put through a process of renovation. Plans have been completed for architectural alterations, and in addition a new pipe organ has been contracted for, to be in position and ready for use tracted for, to be in position and ready for use by the middle of November. The organ will have forty-three stops, three manuals, and a perfected system of mechanical combination stops and couplers. The manual desk, which will be movable, will be so placed that the organist can face his choir. The organ will be operated by an electric motor, the current being taken from the street wire. The old organ will be removed, and in order to make the space needed to accommodate the larger instrument the present choir will be considerably enlarged. Space will be made in the new choir for a quartet and chorus. The new organ will cost nearly \$15,000.

FATAL POWDER EXPLOSION.

Three Men killed in One of the Hanned Powder

HARTFORD, Conn., June 18 .- Powder in one of the Hazard Powder Company's buildings at Hazardville, where the powder is converted into granular form, exploded this afternoon, killing three men and a horse. The dead are: M. W. Pierce, overseer; D. S. Stratton, head machinist. and Eichard May, a workman. May was the only one employed in the building. He had reported something wrong in the mill, and the other two men had gone in to remedy the difficulty. A terrific report soon followed, and when the smoke chared away the mutilated bodies were discovered.

were discovered.

Several other buildings were slightly damaged, and eyery window in the vicinity was broken. Many windows in the village were shattered

Prize Cups and Trophies.

The Gorham Co., Silversmiths, have constantly in stock, ready for immediate delivery, practically an unlimited variety of Loving Cups, Punch Bowls, Pitchers, Tankards, and Mugs, suitable as prizes for all summer sports. Designs and estimates furnished for special pieces at short notice.

Gorham Mfg. Co.

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BROADWAY & 19TH ST.

23 MAIDEN LANE.

BUSINESS IS ON THE MEND.

R. G. Dun & Co. Report an Improvement All Along the Line.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade, is sued yesterday, says:

The retarding influence of cold and unseaso able weather has passed. The gain in business which in spite of it was seen a week ago has become clearer to all. As no genuine improvement ever begins with an uplifting of prices be-fore the producing force has become fairly employed, this does not, and the buying of 7,000 bales Australian wool by one Boston house, and 100,000 tons pig iron by a Wall street operator, and advancing prices for stocks, are only proof that the actual conditions are understood by some capable men. There is evidence of gradually enlarging business in every important de-partment, more establishments have been set at work, and more hands _mployed, and, while prudence still hinders speculative excesses, th progress toward better things is unchecked. Reports from the various cities this week show very general progress and a continuing large distribution through retail trade.

The proof is clearer, as it should be, in the industrial than in the trading field. Contracts providing for consumption of 7,000,000 tons iron ore have already been made, 2,000,000 within the past fortnight, it is believed, though last year's contracts only terminated about two months ago. Bessemer ore is selling lower by 20 to 30 cents than at the outset, Biwabik at \$2.25 against \$2.55, but the heavy demand puts additional mines at work. The specu lative purchase of 100,000 tons Southern pig at \$5.75 clears the deck for a larger business at better figures, and sales at Chicago-150,000 tons-have been the largest for eighteen with him until 1889, when they reparated. She then went to Farge, N. D., she said, and secured a divorce from Knapp. When she returned she married Loader.

Mrs. Loader was aaked how it was that she was so well known to Police Inspector McLaugh lin of the Brooklyn department. She repiled that he had a pass on the Kings on the Kings of the had a pass on the kings of the had a little to the had a litt months: Reaction after the sudden purchase of 50,000 tons Bessemer at Pittsburg leaves the

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The Improvement in Iron.

PITTEBURG, June 18.-Evidences of a better one in the iron and steel markets are plentiful this week. Sales of pig iron and ore have stimuthis week. Sales of pig from and ore nave stimu-lated trade in various lines. There will be some big orders for pipe placed in the next few days. Pig from and billets, while not showing any better prices, are moving with more freedom in the West. Big sales of bar iron are reported in the West.

New Steel Boiler House for the New Yor

Steam Company. The Building Department granted a permit yesterday for the Berlin Iron Bridge Company to erect for the New York Steam Company a onestory steel boiler house 78 by 200 feet from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth streets, at East River, at a cost of \$125,000. An alteration permit was granted to the estate of Charles A. Baudouine for \$4,000 improvements to the five-story iron and brick building at 352 Broadway.

Chicago Brinking Less Boor.

CHICAGO, June 18.—Chicago is drinking less seer than formerly. For the first five months of this year 175,000 barrels less were consumed than in the same period last year. The saloon are 650 fewer than a year ago. These facts were brought out to-day at the annual convention of the several lique; dealers' organizations in Chi-cago. Resolutions were adopted affirming the principles of personal liberty and denouncing all lawlessness or personal liberty and denouncing all

Business Troubles.

The Knickerbocker Coal Company of Thirtyeighth street and First avenue has made an a dgnment to Edward T. Paul. The liabilities are said to be \$17,000.

The G. H. Abbott Company, publishers at 13 Astor place, made an assignment resterday to George E. Doughty. The liabilities are \$10,000. Dresher, First & Co. discorporated, butchers of 776 First avenue, made an assignment res-terday to George Joseph.

WOODBURY HENOVER PACIAL

LITTLE BILL FOR A DINNER POR SO New York and Westebester Water Compe Louis Sherry, caterer, obtained by default judgment for \$738.80 against Dr. John B. Bis sell in the City Court yesterday as the cost of s

banquet, with court expenses added. The ban quet was given on Ang. 6, 1896, at the Horaco White cottage, at Elberon, to the directors of the New York and Westchester Water Company. There is a dispute as to who is responsi-ble for the dinuer, and a motion will probably be made to open the default. The bill was \$675.85, and was made up of the following items: o dinners. 10 boutontières, 10 corrages autables.

Music and expenses of ten musicians.

88 quarts champagne.

50 quarts Johannis.

50 Poricctos.

9 boxes 81 C. cigarettes.

8 boxes 82 pytian cigarettes.

Express charges to Eiberon.

An action brought against the New York and
Westchester Water Company to recover the bill
was recently dismissed. It is said that Dr. Bissell denies that he was anything more than a
guest at the dinner.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL New York Stock Exchange-Sales June 10.

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haps, responsible for the irregular course of prices, for without fresh developments to influence its operations the speculative element invariably becomes restless and is disposed to change its position on the market.

Final sales compare with those of yesterday as follows:

June 17. June 18.

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sold at 20%.

Commercial price of bar silver in New York, 60%. Bar silver in London closed at 27%d. Mexican silver dollars were quoted at 47%d. Mexican silver dollars were quoted at 47%d. Mexican silver dollars were quoted at 47%d. Exports to Europa to-morrow, 585,000 ounces.

Money on call, 18714 % cent. Time money is firmer, especially for long periods. Quotations are as follows: Ninety days, 2 % cent.; four months, 2% cent. six months, 3% cent. on good mixed Stock Exchange collateral. Commercial paper quiet. Prime indorsed bills receivable are quoted at 363% % cent., choice and prime single names at 3%% ent., choice and grown single names at 3%% ent., and good names at 4%5 % cent.

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Domestic exchange on New York: Boston—5 cents discount and par. Charleston—Buying, par; selling, le premium. Savannah—Buying, 1-16 off; selling, par; New Orleans—Bank, \$1.50 premium; commercial, 25 cents premium. San Francisco—Sight, 17-5 cents premium; telegraph; 20 cents premium. St. Louis—35 cents premium bid, 50 cents premium asked. Chicago—60-70 cents premium. Cincinnati—Between banks, 75 cents premium, and over counter, 75 cents premium. cents premium.

cents premium.

The imports of dry goods for the week ending to-day were \$3,389,102, against \$2,954,327 last week and \$1,151,657 for the corresponding week of last year. The amount marketed was \$3,075,013, against \$2,396,455 last week and \$1,120,914

Bradsfrect's reports 226 business failures in the United States during the week ending to-day, against 256 last week and 265 in the corresponding week last year. R. G. Dun & Co. compute the liabilities of firms failing in the two weeks ending June 10 at \$4,944,953, against \$23,993,544 in the corresponding period of last year.

The receipts of the Government to-day were: The receipts of the Government to-day were: Customs, \$538,700; internal revenue, \$489,894, and miscellaneous, \$260,678, a total of \$1,258, 272. The disbursements were \$771,000, an excess of receipts over expenditures of \$518,272. The receipts of the fiscal year to date have been \$329,008,753, and disbursements \$356,965,141, an excess of expenditures over receipts of \$27,956,388.

The net assets of the Treasury at the close of business to-day, as officially computed, compare with those of yesterday as follows:

Available cash balance, including gold balance, \$231.871,700 \$231.875,949

Sales. Name. ing. est. 1500 Brunswick..... .06 .08 .06 .06 500 Chrysolite 14 14 14 14 200 Hale & Norcross 75 .75 .75 100 Lacrosse 13 13 13 200 Ophir 70 70 70 70 800 Pharmacist 10 10 10 10 400 Portland 70 70 70 70 800 Standard 145 150 146 500 Chrysolite14 200 Hale & Norcross .75 Total sains, 4.000 shares.

COMMERCIAL COMPEND.

FRIDAY, June 18.-GRAIN-Wheat-Spot was the same scale as yesterday, concentrated quiet. Sales 138,000 bush, including 120,000 ungraded spring on private terms for export. Free on board affoat: No. 1 Northern spring. Chicago Gas, St. Paul, and Chicago, Burlington New York, 77c.; do. Duluth, 774c.; No. 3 hard winter, 73c.; No. 2 do., 764c. Duluth receives half of the total transactions. Chicago Gas was exceptionally strong, sold at the highest price to-day 54,975 bush., against 264,784 last year; Minneapolis 111,300, against 153,600; Chicago recorded for it, and closed nearly a point higher 4,900, against 12,350; Milwaukee 15,600, against 24,700; Toledo 3,200, against 4,200; Detroit 331, against none last year. Futures opened byc. to 5sc. higher, but lost part of this and closed ac. to be not advance for the day. Future sales 2,095,000 bush, as follows: Gas. The market for the entire group of local

I nat Number 75 % 74 % 70 % 71 % Opening, Highest, Lowest Cicsing. Barley—Was firm but inactive. New feeding, 25 cost and freight to Bundley malting, 25 a 49 c, as in quality. Hyp—Was stronger, State, 50 a 49 c, as in quality. Hyp—Was stronger, State, 50 a 40 c, cost and freight to 2 Western, 26 bec, cost and freight to Euffalo. Corn—spot was firm. Sales 50,000 tosh, No. 9 mixed on private terms free on bisard affort for export. No. 2 mixed in elevator, 20 bec, Futures declined bec, but recoveres this and advanced by Future sales 115,000 bush, as follows:

Opening, Highest, Lousest, Closing, Night, the indications are that local bankers will ship that English, French, and German bankers narket for Austria rather than draw upon their own holdings of the metal. In view of the probable crop requirements in Europe later in the year, the drawers of exchange consider that the present shipments of specie are virtually temporary loans. At the moment, however, the payment due abroad July 1, and also for letters of credit. Of news affecting stock values there

to-day were \$0,000...

week and \$1,131,657 for the corresponding was \$3.0.7.

of last year. The amount marketed was \$3.0.7.

of last year. The receipts a form the corresponding period of last year, and net \$109,229, an increase of \$20,390 as compared with the corresponding period of last year, and net \$109,229, an increase of \$25,360 as compared with the corresponding period of last year, and net \$109,229, an increase of \$25,360 as compared with the corresponding period of last year, and net \$109,229, an increase of \$25,360 as compared with the corresponding period of last year, and net \$109,229, an increase of \$25,360 as compared with the corresponding period of last year, and net \$100,000 one. No other news was received from Brazil. There was more disposition to sell than to buy to-day. The receipts at kito and \$100,000 one. No other news was the common to good strained rosin, \$1.72\squares \$1.72\sq

to in said spots such addition as may be presented to the Said papers in addition as may be presented to the Court upon such application. A description of the anid provisions—Land quiet; prime, \$3.85. Pork steadier but only mass, \$8.250,\$8.75. Tallow, \$3.1.16,3.34c.
Butter-Creamery, Western, 14.4c. Expr-State, fresh gathered, 12c. Chicago, June 18.—The volume of trade in provisions was rather moderate, and, arter a little firmness early, the market sagged on moderate offerings from packers and a leading local trader, closing quiet at about inside prices. The demand was offerings, and there was some buying on outside the offerings, and there was some buying on outside orders. The very large bog movement during the past week has been the most prominent influence, liberal receipts are expected next week 170,000 estimated, and if realized are likely to check any advancing tendency for the present. The cash demand was only fair, not as good as on yesterday."

Stoan-Raw more active and firm: \$9' test at 3c. Befined firm and 1-16c higher for Nos 2 and 18. Chicago, June 18.—These were to day's prices:

Wheat: Operaing, Highest, Lorent, Closing, Nat.

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including gold balance \$231.871,700 \$231.875,949

Money in London 19 \$\psi\$ cent. Rates of discount in open market for both short and three months' bills, 10-16@1 \$\psi\$ cent. Paris advices quote 3 \$\psi\$ cents at 103 francs 10\psi\$ centimes. Exchange on London, 25 francs 10\psi\$ centimes. The weekly statement of the Imperial Bank of Germany shows the following changes as compared with the previous account: Cash on hand increased 20,700,000 marks, treasury notes in creased 2,700,000 marks, tother securities increased 2,700,000 marks, notes in circulation decreased 19,120,000 marks.

The sales of mining stocks at the New York Consolidated Stock and Petroleum Exchange to day were as follows:

Open Righ Lowe Close Sales. Name. ing. est. est. fag. 2014 2614 2714 25% 26% 27%

Closing.

New York, Friday, June 18.—Receipts of beeves
were 578 head, including 14 cars to be sold. Market
alow and easier, closing 10c. lower all around. All
sold. Native steers sold at \$4.50235.10 \$9.100
1.4 at \$2.50235.35.0 comes at \$2.252353. Dressed beef
7.5 steaty at 75.0c. \$9.5 for native sides. Cables from
British markets quote American steers at 10 byd
sold., abeep at 10 test 2c. dressed weight. Exports
10 test 2c. abeep at 10 test 2c. dressed weight. Exports
classed quarters of beef.
1.50 between to-morrow, \$90 beeves and £.856
quarters of beef.
2.9 for native sides. Dull for al grates, close
for weak for veals and lower for buttermiks. About
100 head insoid. Veals sold at \$4.85.75 \$9.100 \$8.1
buttermiks \$6.85.35.10 West in caives at \$3.7528.5
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Hereipts of Bogs were 2.204 head, including py head on sain. Lewer at \$3.95.2\$4.20. Real Private Sales.

Beal Estate Private Sales.

David Stewart has sold for the Ernst Marx syndicare the high front, 190305, on the cast side of Angunon avenue, from 1810 to 1880 have in a builder for improvement. Seven three-story buildings will be erected at once, of which fly will take 187th street, each with a frentage of 19 feet, and 190 will be in the control of the plan with a frentage of 19 feet, and 190 will be only will be an ingrit improved when the opening of 1881h street is completed.

Jams & Austin have sold for Max Marx to James Livius ton Nos. 529, 529, and add West 140m street, there three slory and extension brick and atoms dwelfing, and piot 55,100, at about \$4,000, it part payment Mr livi gaten gives a neout \$4,000, it part payment Mr livi gaten gives a pio 53,30 feet with of livet street, at about \$10,600.

J. Chenole three a ton Lawrent and for J. R. Large a plot 100 feet east of Wester areame, to the C. D. He extended the control of the sold when the sold of 180th freet, a lot 452100, on the senth side of 180th freet, a lot 452100, on the south side of 180th freet, a lot 452100, on the south side of 180th freet, a lot 452100, on the south side of 180th freet, a lot 452100, on the south side of 180th freet, a lot 452100, on the south side of 180th freet, and area freet of Hitch awance, at \$5,000.

It is reported that the Spoffind estate has sold a large tract in the Twenty-third ward for a Mrs. Pearson Wester and the first street, two four story front and rear built lines on plot 50x100.

Mandelbourn & Lewine have sold to a Mrs. Pearson No. 52 West Entered.

Leman Frier reported the side of P. W. Weitke, for Adelph Batchun, of the Rocket Hall Street, for \$25,000.

Real Estate Auction andes.

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At the Broadway sales noon yesterday Peter P. Heyer & Co. sold No. 217 Water street 24.6x72x 25.4x72 No. 4x72 N foreclosure sale, to the planning Emily C. Direnell, for \$12,000.

L. J. Phillips & Co. have sold No. 218 Fast Fifty Sta street, 120 feet east Third aven.e. 202100.5, four-story brick building, foreclosure sale, to the plainting. William Hoffman, for \$9,000.

Court Calendars This Day.

Supreme Cours-Special Term-Part II .-- Ex-parte matters. Surrogate's Court-Chambers. No day calendar. For probate-Will of Christopher C. Baldwin at 10:30 A. M. Fur protate Will of Christopher C. 10:30 A. M. City Court Special Term Motions

Mortgages for Sale. A large number of the best New York and Brooklyn mortgages constantly on hand, \$21,000,000, furnished to investors due ing the year 1896. TITLE GUARANTER AND TRUST COMPANY Offices 146 Broadway, N. Y. 175 Remsen St., Brooklyn. N. E. cor. 58th St. & 7th Ave., N. Y. 159 West 125th St., N. Y.

DRICE, McCORMICK & CO., Members N. Y. and Phila Stock Exchanges, 72 BROADWAY, OFFER AND WANT RID ON

CAPITAL \$2,500,000

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KNICKERBOCKER TRUST CO

KNICKERBUCKER I RUGGE ENAUGH AVE.

Eranch Office, 56 Broadway.

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New York, June 8, 1887.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of THREE PER CENT from not carrings on the capital stock of this company, payable July 1, 1897, to stockholders of revert of June 21, 1897. Transfer books will close June 21, 1897.

FRED'K L. ELDRIDGE, Secretary.

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DAN TALMAGE'S SONS COMPANY.

112 WATER STREET.

NEW YORK, June 15th, 1807.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors, held this day, a quarterly divideed of TWO PER CENT was declared on the Preferred Stock of the Company, pays able July 1st, 1897. The transfer book will close at 8 o'clock P. M., June 20th, and reopen at 10 o'clock A. M., July 2d.

DAVID TALMAGE, Treasurer. DAVID TALMAGE, Treasurer.

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REAL ESTATE TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORLE
BO NASSAU STREET, June 17, 1-1-7,
The Board of Trustees have this day declared a
menual dividend of three and one-half per cent
(8's per cent), payable July 1, 1897.
Transfer books close June 31, 1997, at 8 o'olook
P. M., and reopen July 1, 1897, at 10 o'clock A M.
HENRY W. REIGHLEY, Secretary. NEW ENGLAND LOAN AND TRUST CO., 34 Names
St., New York.—The fifty-ninth consecutive
quarterly dividend of ONE AND ONE-HALF PER
CENT, has been declared by the directors of this Company, payable June Elst, 1897.
W. F. BARTLETT, Treasurer.

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NEW YORK SUPREME COURT,
APPELLATE DIVISION, FIRST DEPARTMENT
IN THE MATTER Of the Application of the Board of
Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for the
City of New York for the Appointment of three
Commissioners to determine whether a rapid

Rapid Transit Ballroad Commissioners for the City of New York for the Appointment of three Commissioners to determine whether a rapid transit railway or railways in the said city for the conveyance and transportation of persons and property as estermined by said Board ought to be constructed and operated.

Public notice is hereby given that pursuant to the provistons of Chapter 4 of the Laws of 18v1, and the acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, the undersigned Board of Bapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for the City of New York will apply to a Term of the Supreme Court. Apsellate Division. Pirst Department, to be held at the Court Bone of the Appellate Division at No. 111 Pitta avenue. In the City of New York on Friday, the 20th day of June, 18v7, at one o'clock in the Afternacion of that day, or as soon thereafter as commelcan be heard, for the appointment of three Commissioners in the above entitled matter, to desermine and resport, after due hearing, whether a rapid transit railway or railways in the said city for the conveyance and transportation of persons and property, a determined by the said Board adopted on the 14th day of January and 4th day of February, 1897, and also set forth in the report of the said Board made to the Common Council of said city and bearing date that 4th day of February, 1897, and also set forth in the report of the said Board made to the Commission Council of said city and bearing date that 4th day of February, 1897, and also set forth in the report of the said Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for the City of New York, in which notice of the City of New York, in which notice of the City of New York in which notice of the City of New York in which notice of the City of New York in which notice of the addeding and papers in addition as may be presented to the routes and general plan of construction of the and application, at description of the City of New York when a paper in the the said resolution and of said report of the said Board to the Common cou

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w York City, Attorneys to the Board Public Motices.

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Should be read DAILY by all interested, as changed may occur at any time.)

Foreign mails for the week ending June 19, 1893, will close (PROMPTLY in all cases) at the General Post Office as follows:

TRANSATLANTIC MAILS. SATURDAY -A16-SA M. for FRANCE, SWITZER-LAND, ITALY, SPAIN, PORTUGAL, TURKEY, EGYPT, AND HRITISH INDIA, per steamshy, i.e. Champagnet, via Havre (letters for other parts of EGYPT, and HRITISH INDIA, per steamship La Champagner, via Havre letters for other parts of Europe must be directed "per La Champagne", at 6.40 A. M. (supplementary 5.30 A. M. for EUROPE, per steamship Berlin", via Southampean letters for France, Switzerland, Italy, Spain Fretural, Turkey, Egypt, and British India must be directed "per Berlin"; at 8 A. M. for NETHERLANDS direct, per steamship Spain-dam, via Botterdam (letters must be directed "per Berlin"); at 8 A. M. for GENA, per steamship Emis (letters must be directed "per Spain dam); at 10 A. M. for SCOTLAND direct, per steamship Furnessis, via Glaugow (letters must be directed "per Furnessis"); at 11 A. X for NORWAY direct, per steamship Norge detters must be directed "per Furnessis"; at 11 A. X for NORWAY direct, per steamship Norge detters must be directed "per Furnessis"; at 11 A. X for NORWAY direct, per steamship Norge detters must be directed "per Norge").

*PRINTED MATTER. &c.—German steamers saling on Tuesdays take Printed Matter. &c. for important and Specially Addressed Printed Matter, &c. for important and White Star steamers on Rurope. America and White Star steamers on Nesdays for man steamers on Inursians, and Cumari Pront and German steamers on Saturdays take strinted Napter, &c., for all countries for which they are advertised to carry mail.

After the closing of the Supplementary Transalisa-tic Mails named above, additional surplementary mails are comend on the piers of the America-English, French, and German steamers, and the main open until wintin Ten Minutes of the hard of sailing of steamer.

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Mails for Chris and Japan specially addressed per accassing Empress of Japan from A very close here taily up to June 114 at Section 13 Mails for Australia except those for Meat we trails, which are forwarded via Enryce of Zealand. Hawai Fill and Samoan Salonia Sensibly Maripeas from San Francisco. Shere daily up to June 119 at 10 A 11 A M. and 6.30 P. M. or on attained the Work of Seatmania Mails of China Japan and Hawail, per steamship City Rito Janeiro from San Francisco, close here a might be seen and Hawail, per steamship City Rito Janeiro from San Francisco, close here A Mails for China Japan and Hawail, per steamship City I islands, per ship Proposited from San Francisco oree duly up to June 24 at 30 P. M. Mails for China and Japan, per accamalin Tacoma 1 Tacoma; close here duly up to June 27 at 1 M. Mails for Alistrative every West Mail for China and Japan, per accamalin Tacoma 1 Tacoma; close here duly in to June 27 at 1 M. Mails for Alistrative every West Mail for Hawai and Fill Islands, per steamship. Warding from Vancouver, close here duly after June 1 and up to July 1 at 6.30 P. M. CORNELIUS VAN COTT, Poetmarkers.